by some other means. The request is being repeated for the last 10 or 12 years. Unless some such effective steps are adopted, it is certain that the entire hobli will become depopulated in a short time.

SUBJECT No. 718.

Location of the Yedatore taluk office at Saligrama.

Mr. Boregowda, Yedatore taluk.

Summary of Representation.—Yedatore town being very unhealthy, most of the officials of this taluk office fall ill and Government work suffers. The taluk may therefore be shifted to Saligrama which, besides being a very large town in the taluk, is quite healthy and was once the seat of a taluk cutcherry.

SUBJECT No. 719.

Removal of prickly-pears in the Chamrajnagar taluk.

Mr. Doraśami Iyengar, Chamrajnagar taluk.

Summary of Representation.—Prickly-pear has grown all along the side of the roads thereby causing great inconvenience to passengers as well as to traffic. The removal of these may be enforced upon the land-holders concerned and in the case of Government lands it may be attended to by the Government.

SUBJECT No. 720.

Narasambudhi tank in the Nanjangud taluk.

Mr. Chandrasekharaiya, Nanjangud taluk.

Summary of Representation.—Narasambudhi tank is silting up every year and its capacity is decreasing and the water stored therein is not sufficient for the lands thereunder. It is therefore prayed that orders may be passed for increasing the capacity of the tank.

SUBJECT No. 721.

A dam across the Kapila river near Bidrahalli.

Messrs. M. Subba Rao, and Syed Rahim Sab, Heggaddevankote taluk.

Summary of Representation.—There is no dam across the river Kapila between Bavani and Hullahalli a distance of about 50 miles. Near Bidrahalli there was a dam formerly. It is prayed that a dam may be constructed there by which many lands will be converted into wet to the advantage of both the Government and raiyats.

SUBJECT No. 722.

Restoration of Nalur tank.

Mr. Chikkamallappa, Gundlupet taluk.

Summary of Representation.—Nalur tank is a very large reservoir, the sluice and revetment stones of which are still in existence. The *kodi* water of some 10 serial tanks situated higher up and the drainage of the valley of Siddu Roy find their way into the Kapila river through this tank. The tank bed which is nearly 500 acres in extent is in disrepair. On account of a breach in the middle of the bund, no water could be stored in the tank. If this tank is restored, nearly 20 or 25 thousands of acres of land can be converted into wet besides feeding the Kalale tank and Halahalli *Ané*.

The project was investigated about 15 years ago by an Engineer and till now no final orders have been passed.

SUBJECT No. 723.

An anicut across the Lokapavani river in the Nagamangala taluk.

A dam across the Lokapavani river near Gangavadi.

Messrs. Linganniah and Parameswariah, Mandya taluk.

Summary of Representation.—The supply of water to the Basaralu, Muttegere and Bandenahalli tanks is not regular every year and crops under the tank suffer. It is prayed that sanction of Government may be accorded at least this year for building an anicut across the Lokapavani river near Gangavadi to feed the above tanks as the

work is beneficial to the people and remunerative to Government. By the construction of the dam, the fear of famine in these parts will be greatly abated and the Government will be profited. It is prayed that it may be constructed soon.

SUBJECT NO. 724.

Repairs to the Suvarnavati river channels.

Mr. Doraswami Iyengar, Chamrajnagar taluk.

Summary of Representation.—The river channels of Homma, Bandikere, Hongalvadi, Saragoor and Alur are in disrepair. Owing to there being no systematic annual repairs, the silt-clearing is not properly attended to. It is prayed this may be remedied early.

SUBJECT NO. 725.

Hot weather supply from the Suvarnavati river.

Mr. Doraswami Iyengar, Chamrajnagar taluk.

Summary of Representation.—The minor channels of Homma, Alur, Saragoor, and Koodlur all originate from the Suvarnavati river. These have neither head sluices nor anikats. These channels irrigate the wet lands in the rainy season and arecanut gardens in hot weather. The D. P. W. in consultation with the revenue authorities framed certain rules for the supply of water fixing the time at which water should be taken from these channels. This arrangement continued for some time. These rules became a dead letter and water is being taken from one nala to another thereby causing much inconvenience to the raiyats concerned. It is requested that this may be remedied.

SUBJECT NO. 726.

Completion of Suvarnavati project.

Messrs. Doraswami Iyengar and Venkatasamiah, Chamrajnagar taluk.

Summary of Representation.—The Suvarnavati project may be taken up early and large storage of water-supply be made available for this as well as to the other taluks. The cost of the project may be met from contributions and also from the sale proceeds of lands irrigated by this source.

The Suvarnavati project may be taken in hand early as it is a main source of water-supply to Sivasamudram project. The amount spent on this project may partly be recovered from contributions on lands and from the proceeds of *kharab* lands.

SUBJECT NO. 727.

Supply of Kalale tank water to the people of Deviram-manahalli, Karulapura and Hosahalli; and excavation of a main channel with pipes laid up for irrigation.

Mr. Ahmed Sab, Nanjangud municipality.

Summary of Representation.—It is only the people of Kalale that pay for the annual repairs of the Kalale tank, and the water thereof is rather inadequate for the lands of the village. The people of Devirammanahalli, Kurulapura and Hosahalli, who do not contribute a single pie towards its maintenance, are supplied with the water of this tank. It is therefore requested that the above supply may be stopped, and further that a main channel be excavated with pipes laid out to let the water out for irrigation.

SUBJECT NO. 728.

Repairs to certain tanks in the Nagamangala taluk.

Messrs. Chandrasekhariah, and Venkatramanaiya, Nagamangala taluk.

Summary of Representation.—Owing to scanty rainfall in this dry taluk, there is always scarcity for drinking water for men and cattle and it is desirable that the following works may be taken up on hand year by year as a measure of relief.